



## 2007 SENATE BILL 207

June 11, 2007 - Introduced by Senators GROTHMAN, LASSA, KEDZIE, DARLING, ROESSLER, SCHULTZ and A. LASEE, cosponsored by Representatives GOTTLIEB, STASKUNAS, LEMAHIEU, HAHN, GUNDERSON, TOWNSEND, A. OTT, CULLEN, OWENS, NASS, MURSAU, FRISKE, BALLWEG, PETROWSKI, J. OTT, A. WILLIAMS, KAUFERT, M. WILLIAMS and MUSSER. Referred to Committee on Economic Development, Job Creation, Family Prosperity and Housing.

1     **AN ACT** *to renumber and amend* 69.24 (1) (a); and *to create* 69.24 (1) (a) 3. of  
2           the statutes; **relating to:** authorizing the copying of a birth certificate in order  
3           for a child to participate in an organized youth sport.

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### *Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau*

Currently, the state registrar or a local registrar must collect \$12 for issuing a certified or uncertified copy of a birth certificate. With certain exceptions, a person who otherwise copies a vital record, including a certified or uncertified birth certificate, may be subject to a fine of up to \$10,000, imprisonment of up to three years and six months, or both.

This bill makes an exception to the penalty for copying a vital record, for a parent, stepparent, guardian, or foster parent of a child who is required to submit the child's birth certificate in order for the child to participate in an organized youth sport.

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*The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:*

4           **SECTION 1.** 69.24 (1) (a) of the statutes is renumbered 69.24 (1) (a) (intro.) and  
5           amended to read:

